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SUBJECT: GATT ARTICLE XXVIII NEGOTIATIONS--SOUTH AFRICA

REF: (A) STATE 56676; (B) STATE 88316

1. RESPONDING TO QUERY ON STATUS OF EC REQUEST THAT SOUTH AFRICA MODIFY AUTOMOTIVE PARTS CONCESSION IN GATT ART. XXVIII NEGOTIATIONS (REF (A)), EC COMMISSION REP (CLERIC) SAID NO CHANGE HAS BEEN ASKED EITHER IN AMOUNT OF TRADE TO BE EXCLUDED FROM CONCESSION OR IN PERCENTAGE OF INTERNAL DEMAND SA INDUSTRY MUST BE ABLE SATISFY BEFORE A PART CAN BE CONSIDERED FOR EXCLUSION. ONLY EC REQUEST ON THIS ITEM IS THAT SAG DELAY APPLICATION OF PROPOSED ACTIONS ON AUTOMOTIVE PARTS UNTIL 1978 OR LATER.

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2. PER REF (B), WE PRESENTED PROPOSED CHANGES IN SAG
WRITTEN UNDERTAKING ON QRS IN ART. XXVIII NEGOTIATIONS
WITH US TO SA MISSION (BARNARD), INDICATING THESE COULD
BE BASIS FINAL SETTLEMENT. BARNARD FELT MOST SHOULD CAUSE
NO DIFFICULTY BUT IN VIEW TIGHT REINS PRETORIA KEEPING
ON QR QUESTION FELT COMPELLED AWAIT REACTION HIS
CAPITAL.DALE

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